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What happened?

A. Complete the sentences with the words given.

1. **excited** **exciting**

   We are all ___excited___ about going to the festival, because something ___exciting___ always happens!

2. **interested** **interesting**

   I'm not ___interested___ in history, so I didn't find the book very ___interesting___.

3. **frightened** **frightening**

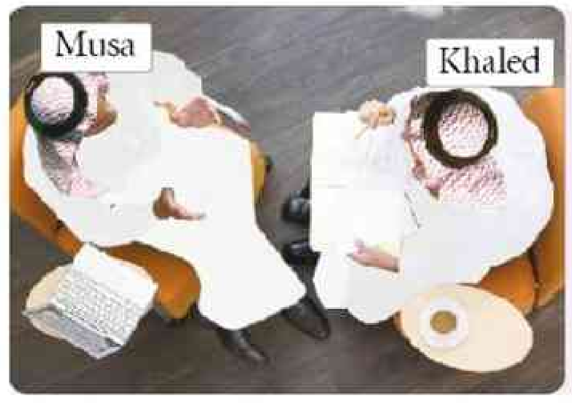
   I think this poster is a bit ___frightening___ for children. Even I was ___frightened___ when I saw it.

4. **surprised** **surprising**

   It was ___surprising___ to see Mark in Paris. We were both very ___surprised___ to see each other there.

What happened?

B. Musa was at a café with a colleague yesterday afternoon. Look at the picture and write what they were doing.



have / coffee — Khaled was having coffee.

use / laptop — Musa was using his laptop.

discuss / a problem — They were discussing a problem.

take / notes — Khaled was taking notes.

C. Write questions using the prompts. Then look at the pictures and answer.

1. Ibrahim / sleep / yesterday morning?

A: Was Ibrahim sleeping yesterday morning?

B: No, he wasn't. He was playing football.

2. Tom / push / car / home / two days ago?

A: Was Tom pushing his car home two days ago?

B: Yes, he was.

3. children / cycle / school / last Tuesday?

A: Were the children cycling to school last Tuesday?

B: No, they weren't. They were walking.

4. The boys / play / yesterday?

A: Were the boys playing yesterday?

B: Yes, they were.

What happened?

D. Complete the dialogue with the sentences a-f.

Mark Hi Craig, I called you on your mobile last night but you didn't answer. What were you doing at ten o'clock?

Craig (1) ___c___

Mark Really? What was it like?

Craig (2) ___e___

Mark That's too bad. What did Mike think about it?

Craig (3) ___a___

Mark So, you didn't have much fun then.

Craig (4) ___f___

Mark Oh well. I went to that new theme park last night. (5) ___d___

Craig Was it any good?

Mark (6) ___b___ I'm going again at the weekend. Coming?

Craig Yeah!

a. He was bored, too.

b. It was amazing.

c. I was watching a documentary at Mike's house.

d. That's why I was calling you.

e. It was quite boring.

f. I'm afraid not.

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B. Complete the text with the Past Simple or the Past Progressive of the verbs in brackets.

As I (**1**) was walking (walk) home last month, I (**2**) smelt (smell) something amazing. I (**3**) looked (look) around. The smell (**4**) was coming (come) from a Thai restaurant. The next day, while I (**5**) was shopping (shop) for some books, I (**6**) found (find) a book with Thai recipes. I (**7**) wasn't looking (not look) for a cookbook, but as soon as I (**8**) opened (open) it, I (**9**) decided (decide) to buy it. It (**10**) had (have) lots of interesting recipes.

I (**11**) was looking (look) through the book on the bus home when I (**12**) saw (see) a recipe for spicy chicken with noodles. I (**13**) didn't have (not have) any of the ingredients, so I (**14**) got (get) off the bus and (**15**) went (go) to the supermarket. But I (**16**) couldn't (not can) find noodles. In the end, I (**17**) rang (ring) a Thai restaurant and (**18**) ordered (order) some spicy chicken with noodles, and it (**19**) was (be) delicious!



C. Write sentences using the prompts given and the Past Simple or the Past Progressive.



sleep / alarm go off

1. (when) He was sleeping when the alarm went off.



walk home from work / phone ring

2. (as) As he was walking home from work, his phone rang.



read newspaper / wait for train

3. (while) He was reading a newspaper while he was waiting for the train.

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see bear / climb up tree

4. (as soon as) He climbed up a tree as soon as he saw the bear.

5. (when) He was walking to work when he met a friend.



walk to work / meet friend

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D. Listen to a man describing a meal he had at a restaurant and answer the questions. Choose *a*, *b* or *c*. 

1. How long did the man wait for the waiter to come?
   a. 20 minutes
   b. 30 minutes
   c. 40 minutes


2. What did the man think of the lasagne?
   a. It needed a lot of salt.
   b. There wasn't a lot.
   c. It wasn't very fresh.


3. How did the man feel about the waiter?
   a. He thought he was strange.
   b. He thought he was polite.
   c. He thought he was honest.


4. Why didn't the man eat the dessert?
   a. Because it fell on him.
   b. Because it looked strange.
   c. Because the waiter didn't bring it.

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Listening transcript

Man 1 I fancy going out for dinner tonight. Any ideas?

Man 2 Well, don't go to Raymondo's in the centre. I went last week.

Man 1 But it looks like a nice place.

Man 2 That's what I thought. First of all, it's in the city centre, so I needed forty minutes to find a parking space, and I even walked for twenty minutes to get to the restaurant. When I finally sat down, I waited about half an hour for a waiter to come.

Man 1 Not a good start.

Man 2 It got worse. I was upset, so I was a bit rude to the waiter. I said I was sorry when he brought my order, but he didn't say anything.

Man 1 How was the food?

Man 2 Well, it was OK. The lasagne was a big piece and the salad was fresh. But I needed to add a lot of salt on the lasagne to give it some taste. Then I decided to have some dessert. I ordered some chocolate cake, but again the waiter said nothing. He just looked at me and left.

Man 1 That was strange.

Man 2 To be honest, I didn't really think it was a problem, but listen to this. He brought the cake and the next thing I knew, it was all over me!

Man 1 No! Was it an accident?

Man 2 I'm not so sure. He said sorry, but I didn't believe him.

Man 1 What did you do?

Man 2 I just left some money on the table and ran out.

Believe it or not!



A. Read the story and circle the correct words.

I was driving by the sea last week in my van when (1) **unluckily / suddenly** I saw a small animal standing in the road. I was going quite fast but (2) **unfortunately / amazingly** I didn't hit it. However, I drove right into the sea. (3) **To my surprise / All of a sudden**, the van stayed on top of the water, but not for long. (4) **Fortunately / Suddenly**, water started coming in through the doors. I had to get out quickly. (5) **Luckily / Suddenly**, I managed to open the door and swim away. (6) **To my surprise / After that**, I turned around and watched my van disappear into the water. I'm lucky to be alive.

Believe it or not!

B. Look at the pictures and the prompts and write a story. Divide it into three paragraphs.



- last Saturday / burglar / enter / Derek's house
- he / try / break into / house / from / front door / but / not can
- so / he / go / back door



- unfortunately / burglar / enter / house
- he / look around / and / put / many things / bag
- suddenly / as / he / look around / bee / sting / him
- burglar / be / allergic to bees / and / faint



- amazingly / Derek's / brother / sleep / in / living room / but / not hear / anything
- to his surprise / Derek / come home / find / burglar / on / floor
- he / call / police / and / they / come / arrest / him

Believe it or not!



Last Saturday, a burglar entered Derek's house. He tried to break into the house from the front door but he couldn't. So, he went to the back door.

Unfortunately, the burglar entered the house. He looked around and put many things in a bag. Suddenly, as he was looking around, a bee stung him. The burglar was allergic to bees and fainted.

Amazingly, Derek's brother was sleeping in the living room, but he didn't hear anything. To his surprise, Derek came home and found the burglar on the floor. He called the police and they came and arrested him.

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Adventure



A. Complete with the words in the box.

leaves	locals	explore	dress	loose	plants	thunder	high

1. It's quite cold today, so ___dress___ warmly.
2. How ___high___ is the temperature in Florida?
3. I enjoy it when the ___leaves___ on the trees change colour in autumn.
4. A storm is coming. I can hear ___thunder___.
5. Adam was lost, so he decided to ask one of the ___locals___ for directions.
6. Don't forget to water the ___plants___ before you leave.
7. Come on, let's ___explore___ that cave over there!
8. These trousers are a bit ___loose___. I think I need a smaller size.

B. Complete the blanks with the Present Perfect Simple of the verbs in brackets and circle the correct time expressions.

1. **Dan** What are you reading?
   Tom It's a book called *Horizons*. ___Have___ you **ever / never** ___heard___ (hear) of it?
   Dan Of course. It's a great book. I got it as a present from John. He ___'s read___ (read) it **ever / many times**. How do you like it?
   Tom I ___'ve read___ (read) ten pages **just / so far** and it's very exciting.
   Dan I agree. I ___haven't finished___ (not finish) it, but I only have twenty pages left.

2. **Andy** Montana was great.
   Bill I ___'ve___ **never / twice** ___been___ (be) there. What's it like?
   Andy It's beautiful. We ___'ve taken___ (take) lots of pictures. I can show you them tomorrow.
   Bill I ___'ve visited___ (visit) New York City **ever / twice**.
   Andy Wow. Sounds exciting! I ___'ve___ **ever / always** ___wanted___ (want) to go there.

C. Complete the dialogue with the Past Simple or the Present Perfect Simple of the verbs in brackets.

Phil How's it going, guys?
Eddie Fine.
Gary I'm OK.
Phil (1) __Have__ you __visited__ (visit) Africa before?
Eddie Yes. I (2) __travelled__ (travel) to Kenya last winter with a friend. We (3) __had__ (have) a great time.
Phil And you Gary?
Gary I (4)__'ve never been__ (never / be) outside of Europe before.
Phil So, what do you think?
Gary I (5)__'ve never seen__ (never / see) anything like it. My brother (6) __visited__ (visit) Africa a few years ago and he (7) __described__ (describe) it to me. It really is amazing.
Phil I know. Hey Eddie, (8) __did__ you __take__ (take) any pictures of wild animals while you (9) __were__ (be) in Kenya?
Eddie No, unfortunately, I (10) __didn't take__ (not take) any.
Phil That's a shame.
Eddie Hey, there aren't any lions around here, are there?
Phil Don't worry. I (11) __'ve walked__ (walk) through the desert many times and I (12) __haven't met__ (not meet) a lion.
Eddie Phew!

Adventure

D. Complete the questions with the correct form of the verbs in the box. Then answer them about yourself.

bite	eat	ride	explore	snow	go

1. ___Have___ you ever ___ridden___ a camel?
____

2. ___Did___ you ___go___ on holiday last July?
____

3. ___Has___ a snake ever ___bitten___ you?

4. ___Did___ it ___snow___ last winter?
____

5. ___Have___ you ever ___explored___ a desert?
____

6. ___Have___ you ever ___eaten___ Chinese food?

Broaden your mind

A. Circle the correct words.

1. I haven't played tennis **for** / **since** six years.
2. Fahad has never **been** / **gone** to an English-speaking country.
3. I've **yet** / **always** thought the title of this poem was 'Fly'.
4. We haven't spoken to each other **since** / **for** the summer.
5. James isn't coming to the festival with us because he's **yet** / **already** been there twice.
6. Andrew hasn't returned from work **yet** / **before**.
7. **A:** Where's Angie?
   B: She's **been** / **gone** to work.
8. I haven't seen Mike **before** / **since** we finished school.

Broaden your mind

B. Rewrite the sentences using the words in brackets.

1. I haven't tasted snails. (**never**)
   I 've never tasted snails.
2. Paul travelled to Las Vegas this week and to San Francisco last week. (**so far**)
   Paul has travelled to Las Vegas and to San Francisco so far.
3. Hana returned from the supermarket two minutes ago. (**just**)
   Hana has just returned from the supermarket.
4. 1996 was the last time Mr Brown saw his son. (**since**)
   Mr Brown hasn't seen his son since 1996.
5. This is the second time I've read this book. (**twice**)
   I 've read this book twice.
6. This is the first time I've arranged a meeting with Mr Donaldson. (**before**)
   I haven't arranged a meeting with Mr Donaldson before.
7. Mary called on Monday and it's Friday today. (**for**)
   Mary hasn't called for four days.
8. My brother still doesn't know how to drive. He hasn't learnt. (**yet**)
   My brother hasn't learnt how to drive yet.

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Broaden your mind

C. Complete the dialogues below. Use the prompts and the Past Simple or the Present Perfect Simple.

1.

A: Do you like going to foreign countries?

B: I don't know. I've never travelled abroad before.

never / travel / abroad / before

2.

A: Do you want to come out with us tonight?

B: I'm sorry. I've already made plans.

already / make plans

3.

A: Have you ever been to the Chinese restaurant down the street?

B: Yes. I went there last weekend.

go / there / last weekend

4.

A: Are you friends with Hamza?

B: Yeah. I've known him for ten years.

know / him / for / ten years

5.

A: How is your neighbour?

B: I'm not really sure. I haven't seen him since spring.

not see / him / since / spring

6.

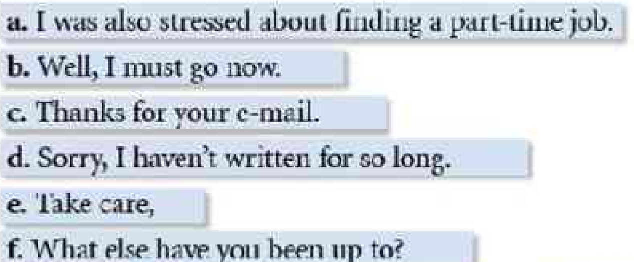
A: Wow! Your Spanish is really good.

B: Thanks. I took a course two years ago.

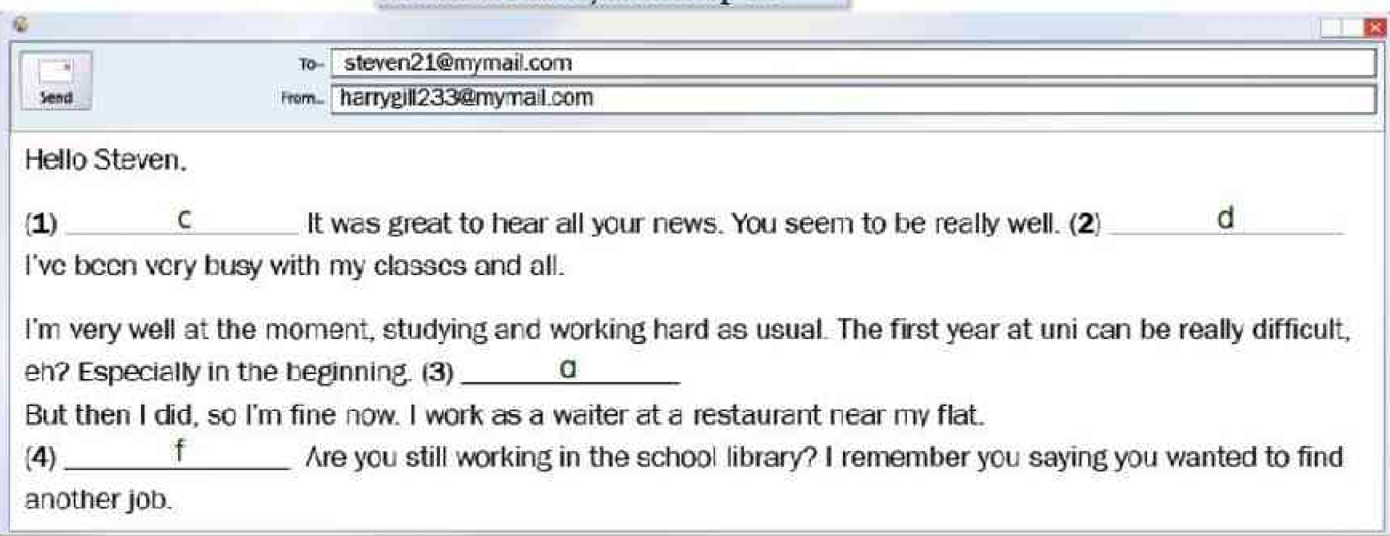
take / course / two years ago

Broaden your mind

D. Use the phrases to complete the e-mail.



a. I was also stressed about finding a part-time job.
b. Well, I must go now.
c. Thanks for your e-mail.
d. Sorry, I haven't written for so long.
e. Take care,
f. What else have you been up to?



To: steven21@mymail.com
From: harrygill233@mymail.com
Send

Hello Steven,

(**1**) ____c____ It was great to hear all your news. You seem to be really well. (**2**) ____d____
I've been very busy with my classes and all.

I'm very well at the moment, studying and working hard as usual. The first year at uni can be really difficult, eh? Especially in the beginning. (**3**) ____a____
But then I did, so I'm fine now. I work as a waiter at a restaurant near my flat.
(**4**) ____f____ Are you still working in the school library? I remember you saying you wanted to find another job.

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a. I was also stressed about finding a part-time job.
b. Well, I must go now.
c. Thanks for your e-mail.
d. Sorry, I haven't written for so long.
e. Take care,
f. What else have you been up to?

Listen, we should arrange to meet up some time. Go out together, just like old times. **(5)** ____b____ But I'm going to write you a nice long e mail soon, OK?

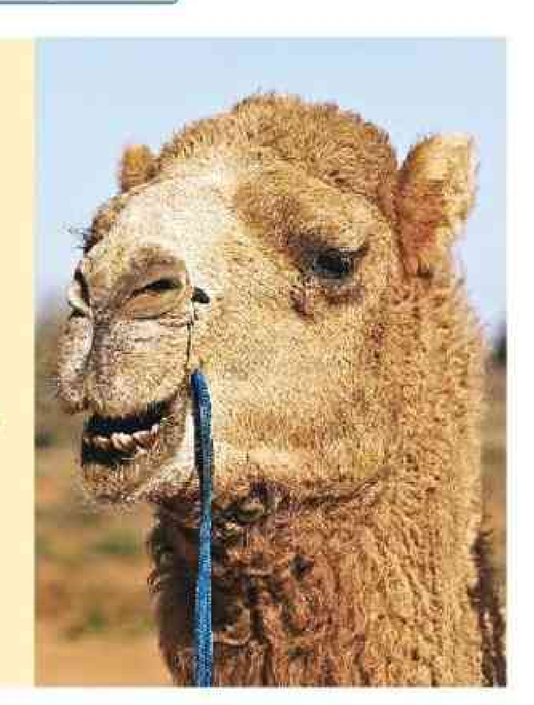
(6) ____e____

Harry

A. Complete the text with the words in the box.

shouted	hiking	amazed	suddenly	smelt
fainted	strange	stupid	nature	experience

Last summer, I spent two months in Australia. I really wanted to visit the famous Australian Outback and enjoy its (1) ___nature___. So, I stayed with a friend, out in the middle of nowhere. On the first day, I went (2) ___hiking___ on my own. I was walking past some trees when I heard a (3) ___strange___ noise. (4) ___Suddenly___, I saw a camel coming towards me. I was (5) ___amazed___ but very frightened, too. It was huge! I (6) ___shouted___ for help, but that was a (7) ___stupid___ idea because I was alone. The camel came nearer, put its head next to mine and (8) ___smelt___ my hair! It was so horrible that I (9) ___fainted___. When I woke up, it wasn't there. I thought maybe it was a dream, but my friend told me there were lots of camels living in the area. I never knew. It was quite a(n) (10) ___experience___.



Round-up

B. Complete with the Past Simple, the Past Progressive or the Present Perfect Simple of the verbs in brackets.

1.

Larry What's up Tony? You look tired.
Tony It's my new neighbours. They moved (move) in last week.
Larry So?
Tony They were fighting (fight) all night, again.
Larry Oh dear.
Tony I haven't slept (not sleep) for three nights.

2.

Sami Hello?
Abdullah Open your front door.
Sami You're here. Were you ringing (ring) the doorbell?
Abdullah Yes, I was. I 've been (be) out here for ten minutes.
Sami Sorry, I was listening (listen) to the news on the radio. I couldn't (not can) hear you.

3.

James Have you tasted (taste) my mum's new chocolate cake recipe?
Bob No. What about you?
James Yes. Lisa and I had (have) coffee at her house yesterday and she gave (give) us some.
Bob And? Did you like (like) it?
James I loved (love) it. I've never eaten (never / eat) a more delicious cake.

Round-up

C. Choose *a*, *b* or *c*.

1. Patrick has been to Hawaii ______.
   a. always   b. many times   c. never
2. Tom has never taken a foreign language course ______.
   a. once   b. already   c. before
3. Ray and Mark haven't been scuba-diving ______ their trip to the Caribbean.
   a. since   b. yet   c. so far
4. I saw your cousin a few days ______.
   a. since   b. ago   c. before
5. I've eaten cactus salad ______. Once in Paris, and another time in Barcelona.
   a. so far   b. twice   c. always
6. It was raining ______ Joe was riding his bike to school.
   a. as soon as   b. before   c. while
7. Ameer has ______ tried hang-gliding before.
   a. never   b. ever   c. always
8. It's summer, but the temperatures have been quite low ______.
   a. already   b. so far   c. yet
9. Abdullah ______ to Egypt three times so far.
   a. has gone   b. has been   c. went
10. ______ we got home, we started cooking.
    a. When   b. While   c. As



D. Choose *a* or *b*.

1. A: Give me a hand, please.
   B: ____a____
   - a. Sorry. But I must go now.
   - b. No way! I don't believe you.

2. A: So, it seems like you enjoyed your trip.
   B: ____a____
   - a. Yeah. It was amazing.
   - b. Yeah. It was boring.

3. A: Did you enjoy rock climbing?
   B: ____b____
   - a. I was looking forward to it.
   - b. It was something else.

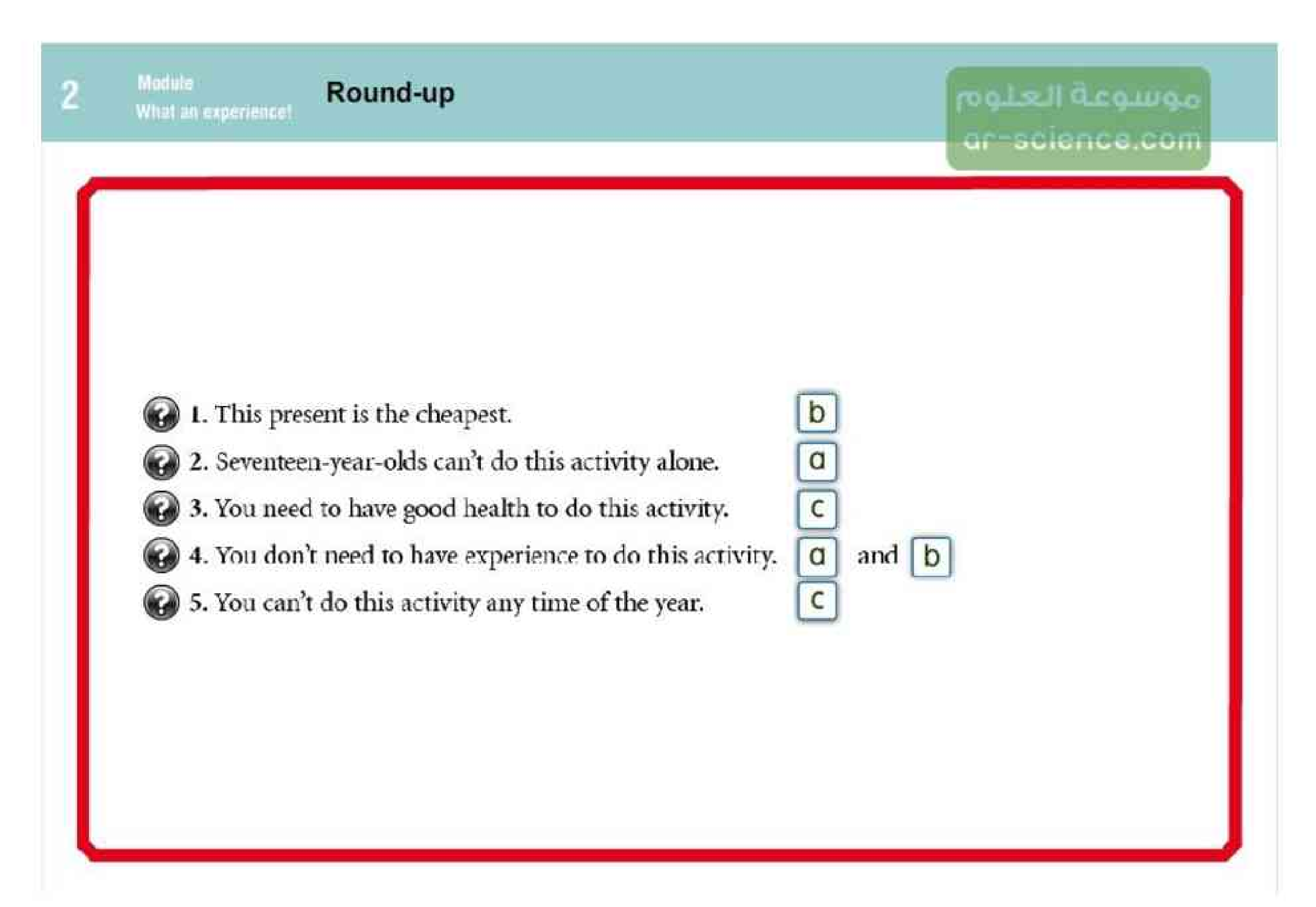
4. A: You forgot your mobile again!
   B: ____b____
   - a. To my surprise.
   - b. I'm afraid so.

5. A: Believe it or not, honey bees die after they sting you.
   B: ____a____
   - a. That's interesting.
   - b. I'm interested.

6. A: Why aren't you drinking your orange juice?
   B: ____b____
   - a. It's salty.
   - b. It's sour.

E. Read the advertisements and the statements 1-5 below. Which present matches each statement? Write *a*, *b* or *c*.




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1. This present is the cheapest. b
2. Seventeen-year-olds can't do this activity alone. a
3. You need to have good health to do this activity. c
4. You don't need to have experience to do this activity. a and b
5. You can't do this activity any time of the year. c

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b

Chocolate making workshop

Love chocolate? Then come to our workshop and make amazing chocolate. You can learn some of the history of chocolate, as well as how to make delicious delights such as fudge, praline and truffles.

Never made sweets before? It doesn't matter.

Minimum age: 14

Allow 3 hours for your visit.

Tea, coffee, juice and lots of chocolate available. Arrange your visit about six weeks in advance.

Price: £15



c

Drive the car of your dreams!

Fancy driving a Ferrari, an Aston Martin or even a Porsche for a day? This is the experience for you then. You can choose the car you want and enjoy driving it for about four hours.

Minimum age: 20

Choose a weekend between March and September to come.

Need to be fit and have at least 2 years driving experience.

Wear comfortable shoes and clothes and enjoy. Price: £200